

2016 Menominee ISD Appeal Urban Status - #44229

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Submitting Organization MENOMINEE I S D (BEN: 131743)

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Narrative

BEN 131743 was mis-classified as "Urban" in the entity profile for 2016. This has resulted in reduced reimbursements for the subject FRNs. Using the USAC Urban/Rural lookup tool, it confirms that this entity should be classified as "rural." Additionally, all schools in this county located in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan are classified as "rural."

Please correct this classification so that we can recover the total reimbursement due this entity.

Please refer to the attached files and screen shots.

Also please note: we updated the profile on 2/20/17 to reflect the proper classification for 2017. However, the PIA reviewer for our 2017 application changed it back to urban, even though we provided a same-day timely response that she said she did not get. We will also be submitting an appeal for 2017 when that application is available.

Appeal Details

Decision appealed by applicant

If you wish to modify or cancel your appeal, or, if you have any questions about your appeal, please contact the E-rate Program's Client Service Bureau (CSB) at (888) 203-8100.

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Supporting Documentation

Document ID	Document	Description	Upload Stage	Uploaded By	Uploaded On
10188	2017 USAC Urban-Rural Lookup Tool 001.pdf	Scan - USAC Urban-Rural Lookup Tool for BEN 131753	Intake	Judy Bright	
10189	PIA Response - Rural Status.docx	List of all schools in our city/county classified as "rural"	Intake	Judy Bright	



Urban/Rural Lookup Tool

This tool is designed to help school districts, library systems, and individual schools and libraries determine the individual and aggregate urban vs. rural status which could be used in calculating the maximum discount used in a request for funds.

This tool is intended for information purposes only; no data or results from this tool will be submitted to USAC.

Choose the entity type for which you want to determine the rural/urban status

- ☒ School district
- ☐ Library system
- ☐ Individual school
- ☐ Individual library

For an accurate result, include the entity numbers for all the schools in your school district.

- Add charter school entity numbers if those schools are part of the school district
- Remove entity numbers for non-instructional facilities (even those with classrooms), including administration buildings
- For a single school with multiple locations, remove all entity numbers but that of the main school.

Entity Number(s)

Enter one or more entity numbers, separated by commas, to see the individual and aggregate Urban/Rural status.

131743

Lookup Urban/Rural Status

Results

Entity Number	Name	Street Address	Type	Status
131743	MENOMINEE I S D	952 1ST ST MENOMINEE, MI 49858	DISTRICT	R

If you believe that any rural or urban status displayed in the table is incorrect or you would like more information, please call the Client Service Bureau at 1-888-203-8100.

June 6, 2017

PIA Response

Applicant Name: MENOMINEE I S D
FCC Form 471 Application Number: 171002967

Please note: there was no attached document to this PIA with additional questions. I am assuming this response will cover your inquiry.

Please note that originally identifying Menominee ISD (BEN 131743) in 2016 as an "Urban" district was a clerical error that was not corrected until 2017. This district is in the same town as the following BENs that are identified as "Rural:"

BEN 131742 Menominee Area Public Schools
BEN 58541 St. John Paul II Catholic Academy

Additionally, all schools in Menominee County School Districts are identified as "Rural:"

BEN 131717 Carney-Nadeau Public Schools
BEN 131753 North Central Area Schools
BEN 131758 Stephenson Area Public Schools

Can you please correct Menominee ISD to "Rural" status?

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